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Hongkong, October 22, 1868.

are requested to furnish particulars of the and consisting of same to the Trustees, addressed to the care of Mr.E. Wheeley, Hongkong, on or before the 30th November, 1268, in order to participate in the first Dividend.

A. TURING. Trustees of Dent KRESSER W. LEMANN, Hongkong, September 18, 1868.

NOTICE. THE Office of the Wanchi Steam Bakers is REMOVED to the Store of Messrs MACEWEN & Co., where all orders addressed "WANCH! STEAM BARERY" will receive prompt attention. Fancy BISCUIT and OAKE constantly on hand.

L. P. WARD, Hongkong, September 8, 1868.

### Auctions

GENERAL WEEKLY AUCTION. ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. will sell by Public Auction, in their Sales Rooms, Queen's Road, on

FRIDAY. 6th inst., at Noon, the following GOODS.

50 casks, each 4 dozen quarts Worhington's Beer. 50.000 No. 12 Lefaucheux Cartridges.

A few superior silver gilt Watches. 12 dozen Bottles Hill and Jone Currants. 25 dozen Wooden Pipes.

100 dozen bottles Farina's Eau de A nice assortment of Haberdashery. do. Delfware.

100 doz. Tin boxes Wax Vestas. 50 doz. gilt Frames for Photographs, 50 doz. Rowland's Macassar Oil. 25 reams Cream Laid Paper.

2 doz. Travelling Rugs, superior A few doz. first quality Press Copyingletter Books.

A fine collection of colored Prints. 112 1-lb. tins Hubbuck's Prussian Bowie Knives, Telescopes, Plated Chairman, George John Helland, Esq.

And any other GOODS that may

AT 1.30 O'CLOCK P.M. :-(For account of the concerned.) Sundry Fencing Foils, Masks, Gloves, Pads, Boxing Gloves, Single Sticks, Dumb Bells, Round Shot, formerly the property of the Gymnasium and of the

best quality and style. TERMS OF SALE —Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. Bank. All lots with all faults and errors of description at purchaser's risk on the fall of the hammer.

Hongkong, November 4, 1868.

## PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions from the Mortgagee to sell

MONDAY the 16th day of November, 1868, at Noon, on the premises, under a power of sale contained in the Deed of Mort-

Australia, America, China and Japan. The GROUND, MESSUAGES and PREMISES situate on the Queen's Road West, close to the North Sy-ingpoon Market and opposite the P. & O. Company's Factory, known as Inland

Lots Nos. 447 and 448. The Lots contain 30 Chinese houses which are nearly all new.

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Undersigned! TERMS OF SALE.—One-half of the purchase money to be paid on the fall of the hammer, the balance on completion of the deeds of transfer, the expenses of which to be paid by the purchaser. Property to be at the risk of the Pur-

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Crown Rent \$917.64 per annum. These Buildings have only been erected two years and are built of Granite and Brick, the woodwork being Teak through-

The whole of this Property to be sold either in one or more lots to suit pur-

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For further particulars or details MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co. Hongkong, October 16, 1868. nov20

## Banks. HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANK-

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PAQUEBUTS POSTN WRANGAIS SAIGON, SINGAROUS, BATAY POINT DE GALLESADEN, ST

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Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and sceepted in transit through Marseilles for Cargo will be received on board until P.M. of the 24th Instant, Specie and 88 Parcels until 5 P.M. of the 24th Instant. DENT & Co.'s Offices, containing 8 Rooms, (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.) For Particulars regarding Freight and Passage, apply at the Company's office,

> C. BERTRAND, Principal Agent. Hongkong, November 5, 1868.



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THROUGH U. S. MAIL LINE TO NEW YORK, OTEAMERS of this line will be despatched as follows :--Great Republic, on or about Aug. 15.

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# Hongkong, July 15, 1868.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG & CALCUTTA. The British steamer  $^{\circ}$  LIGHTNING,"Capt. RODGER, will be despatched for the above

Despatches will close at 4 P.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, November 3, 1868.

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The Diamond Line S. S.

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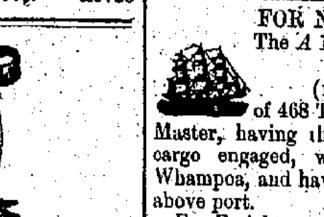
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STEAM TO SWATOW. THE P. & O. steam-ship "GANGES." will leave for the above place on FRIDAY

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THE BORNEO CO. LIMITED.

Hongkong, October 27, 1868.

Register. For particulars, apply to N. MODY & Co.

FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 American barque of 468 Tons Register, HARDING, cargo engaged, will load here, and at Whampon, and have early despatch for the

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FOR SAN FRANCISCO., The British ship "DOUGLASS" Master, will have quick despetor For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hougkong, October 13, 1868.

Hongkong, September 24, 1868. FOR SALE. The A 1 North German Brig "GAZELLE" of 196 Tons Register, built in 1865 all of Oak copper-fastened and coppered. She ranges 3/3 L.1.1. in Veritas until May 1873. The vessel is in

CARLOWITZ & Co. Hongkong, October 21, 1868.

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HE following cases have been landed and stored at the risk and expense of the Consignees, who are requested to take immediate delivery. Ex "Donnai," 7th January, 1868. . . . 1 Case Paper. Ex "Hoogly," 31st October, 1868. R (in diamond) 1/25

Principal Agent. Hougkong, October 31, 1868.

Notices of Firms. HE Undersigned will from this date transact a General Commission Business at this port under the firm of C. D. Will-LIAMS & Co.

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C. D. WILLIAMS. Hongkong, November 2, 1868. NOTICE. HAVE this day established myself as a JUSTER and GENERAL COMMISSION AGENT.

C. LANGDON DAVIES.

OLYPHANT & Co.

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CAKE of all kinds baked to order.

The above is under the Superintendence expected to arrive from Eng. INCOM and after this date Mr George I and before the end of the Bowman will act as AGENT of the LTROM and after this date Mr GEORGE F.

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1. ENDERS for the supply of Provisions and other Articles required for the use of Victoria Gaol, from the 21st November, 1868, to the 20th November, 1869, inclusive, will be received at this Office until Noon of the 10th NOVEMBER, 1868. All information required, and Blank forms of Tender may be obtained on application to the Superintendent of Victoria

Tenders to be addressed to the Colonial Secretary, and endorsed "Tender for Gaol Contract, 1869.

By Command, J. GARDINER AUSTIN. - Colonial Secretary. Colonial Secretary's Office. Hongkong, October 23, 1868.

#### HUNDREDTH EDITION. REVISED AND ENLARGED.

UNN'S NEW FAMILY PHYSICIAN: OR HOME-BOOK OF HEALTH. Forming a complete Household Guide, giving many valuable suggestions, for avoiding disease and prolonging life, wi plain directions in cases of emergency, and pointing out in familiar language the causes, symptoms, treatment and cure of diseases incident to

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NOTICE. A few copies of the above WORKS can be had by applying to "B," Co the China Mail Office. Hongkong, October 29, 1868.

## New Advertisements.

NOTICE. THE Buildings known as DENT AND COMPANY'S HONGKONG PRAYA PROPERTY wil be sold by PUBLIC AUCTION

FRIDAYthe 20th November, 1868, at 3 P.M. on the Ground. MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co., Auctioneers.

Hongkong, October 22, 1868.

are requested to furnish particulars of the same to the Trustees, addressed to the care of Mr E. Wheeley, Hongkong, on or before the 30th November, 1268, in order to participate in the first Dividend.

A. TURING, Trustees of Dent Co.'s Estate. W. LEMANN. Hongkong, September 18, 1868.

THE Office of the Wanchi Steam Bakery is REMOVED to the Store of Messrs MACEWEN & Co., where all orders addressed "WANCHI STEAM BAKERY" will receive prompt attention. Fancy BISCUIT and CAKE constantly on hand:

L P. WARD, Hongkong, September 3, 1868.

#### - Auctions

HENERAL WEEKLY AUCTION. ■ ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. will sell by Public Auction, in their Sales Rooms, Queen's Road, on

FRIDAY

6th inst., at Noon, the following GOODS, 50 casks, each 4 dozen quarts Worthington's Beer.

50,000 No. 12 Lefaucheux Cartridges. A few superior silver gilt Watches. 12 dozen Bottles Hill and Jones Currants. 25 dozen Wooden Pipes.

100 dozen bottles Farina's Eau de A nice assortment of Haberdashery. do. Delfware.

100 doz. Tin boxes Wax Vestas. 50 doz. gilt Frames for Photographs, 50 doz. Rowland's Macassar Oil. 25 reams Cream Laid Paper.

2 doz. Travelling Rugs, superior quality. A few doz. first quality Press Copyingletter Books.

A fine collection of colored Prints. 112 1-lb. tins Hubbuck's Prussian

Ladles, Plated Spoons, Chamber

And any other GOODS that may

ат 1.30 o'clock р.м.:— (For account of the concerned,) Sundry Fencing Foils, Masks, Gloves, Pads, Boxing Gloves, Single Sticks, Dumb Bells, Round Shot formerly the property of the Gymnasium and of the best quality and style.

TERMS OF SALE —Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. Bank. All lots with all faults and errors of description at purchaser's risk on the fall of the hammer. Hongkong, November 4, 1868,

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions from the Mortgagee to sell by Public Auction, on

## MONDAY.

the 16th day of November, 1868, at Noon, on the premises, under a power chief Commercial places in Europe, India, of sale contained in the Deed of Mort- Australia, America, China and Japan.

The GROUND, MESSUAGES and PREMISES situate on the Queen's Road West, close to the North Sy-ingpoon Market and opposite the P. & O. Company's Factory, known as Inland

The Lots contain 30 Chinese houses which are nearly all new.

Premises,—The GROUND, MESSU- in various forms, to any part of the Co-AGES and PREMISES situate on Pound Street, Taipingshan, known as low rates constantly on hand or baked in the remaining portion of Inland Lot No. quantities at short notice. 353, containing 1 Chinese house, bringing a monthly rental of \$16.

For further particulars, apply to the Undersigned TERMS OF SALE .- One-half of the nurchase money to be paid on the fall of hand supplied by the Barrel, Bag, Tin or the hammer, the balance on completion | Pound.

of the deeds of transfer, the expenses of which to be paid by the purchaser. Property to be at the risk of the Purchaser from the fall of the hammer. J. M. ARMSTRONG,

Auctioneer. Hongkong, November 4, 1868.

### Auctions. PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions from the Trustees of Dent & Co.'s Estate, to sell by Public Auction (if not previously disposed of by private

### FRIDAY,

20th November, 1868, at 3 P.M., on the

The BUILDINGS known as DENT & Co.'s Hongkong Praya Property, mea-LL Persons having claims against the suring 298 feet im frontage by 175 feet Estate of the late firm of DENT & Co., in depth, situated on Marine Lot No. 7. and consisting of

One DWELLING HOUSE in the Eastern Wing, containing 5 Rooms on the 1st Floor and 8 Rooms on the 2nd Floor, with Bath Rooms, Kitchens, Out Offices, &c., &c. with Gas and Water laid on, and a Godown below capable of hold- the principal places of Europe. ing about 2,000 Tons.

The Centre BUILDING known as DENT & Co.'s Offices, containing 8 Rooms, Compradore's Quarters, Spacious Fire- must be left at the Agency's Office.) proof Treasury and Godown, capable of holding about 1,000 Tons.

One DWELLING HOUSE in the Western Wing, containing 5 Rooms on the 1st Floor and 6 Rooms on the 2nd Floor, with Bath Rooms, Kitchens, Out Offices, &c., &c. with Gas and Water laid on, and Godown below of about 2,000 Tons

Crown Rent \$917.64 per annum.

These Buildings have only been erected two years and are built of Granite and Brick, the woodwork being Teak through-

The whole of this Property to be sold either in one or more lots to suit purchasers.

TERMS OF SALE.—One third of the purchase money to be paid on fall of the hammer, one third 2 months after sale, and the balance 4 months after sale, in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. Transfer expenses to be borne by the purchasers.

For further particulars or details plants, apply to

MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co. Hongkong, October 16, 1868. nov20

## Banks.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANK-ING CORPORATION. SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, FIVE MILLIONS OF DOLLARS.

COURT OF DIRECTORS. Bowie Knives, Telescopes, Plated Chairman, George John Helland, Esq. Deputy Chairman-Geo. F. HEARD, Esq. W. H. FORBES, Esq. JAMES B. TAYLOR, Solomon D. Sarsoon, Esq.

> JULIUS MENKE, Esq. RICHARD ROWETT, Esq. E. R. Belilios, Esq.  ${\it Managers}.$

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HONGKONG. INTEREST ALLOWED YN Current Deposit Accounts at the rate of 1 per cent. per annum on the daily

On Fixed Deposits .— For 3 months, 2 per cent, per annum. 4 per cent, ,, ,, 5 per cent. ,, LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted, Drufts, granted on London, and the

VICTOR KRESSER. Chief Manager. Offices of the Corporation. No, 1, Queen's Road East. Hongkong, June 17, 1868

INE Undersigned having PURCHASED the Interest of the "WANCHI STEAM BAKERY," begs to notify the Public of Hong- 6th inst., at 5 P.M. kong and Ship Masters that he is prepared Immediately after, will be sold, on the to furnish Daily Supplies of Soft BREAD

> Also Ship BREAD of best quality and at Also Nater, Butter, Soda and Sugar BISCUITS by the Barrel, Tin or Pound. Also Corn and Rye MEAL, HOMINY, CORN STARCH, BICARB, SODA, Saleratus and Cream TARTAR.

CAKE of all kinds baked to order. The above is under the Superintendence of Mr Jonathan Parsons, and all orders Messrs MacEwen & Co.'s will receive hai.

FLOUR of best Brands constantly on

prompt attention. L. P. WARD Hongkong, February 17, 1868.

NOTICE, COMPAGNIE DES SERVICES MA-RITIMES DES MESSAGERIES IMPERIALES.

PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS. STEAM FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, ALEXANDRIA, MESSINA.

MARSEILLES BOMBAY, PONDICHERY, MADRAS. AND CALCUTTA. ·HE Company's Steamship "HOOGLY," Commandant DE Bovis, will leave this Port for the above places, with MAILS

PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, the 25th instant, at 2 P.M. Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for

Cargo will be received on board until 4 P.M. of the 24th Instant, Specie and Parcels until 5 P.M. of the 24th Instant (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they For Particulars regarding Freight and Passage, apply at the Company's office,

Hougkong. CONTENTS AND VALUE OF PACKAGES ARE REQUIRED. C. BERTRAND, Principal Agent. Hongkong, November 5, 1868.



PACIFIC MAIL STEAM-SHIP

COMPANY. THROUGH U. S. MAIL LINE TO NEW YORK, NTEAMERS of this line will be despatched as follows:— Great Republic, on or about Aug. 15. Great Republic, ,, Costa Rica will leave Shanghai on or about same dates, connecting at Yokohama with above-named steamers.

Passengers ticketed through to California, Mexico, Central and South America, the Atlantic States, and to England or France, both via New York and by lines from Parama and Aspinwall. Return tickets issued at a reduction of

10 % upon the whole amount for the round Connections are made at Panama witl Steam Lines upon the West Coast of Central and South America, at Aspinwall with the "Royal West India Mail Line," "West India and Pacific Steam-ship Company," (Limited) and the "French Transatlantic Company." And, at New York, with the first rate order. various lines to Europe. Tickets issued for the following Steam-ship Lines: Cunard, Inman, National, General Transatlantic Co., New York and Havre Steamship Co., Hamburg and American Packet WILLIAM LEMANN, JAS. P. DUNCANSON, Co., New York and Bremen Steam-ship

Co., and North German Lloyds. Favorable arrangements have been made for through passengers and freight to America, from Calcutta, Penang and Singapore, and, from Swatow, Amoy and Fouchow. Through Bills of Lading given for Ports of Mexico and on the West Coast of Central and South America to as far as Valparaiso, to New York, Liverpool, Southampton

and St. Nazaire, France. Freight to United States payable in advance in Mexican Dollars, or on delivery LF 285 in American Gold Coin with 8 per cent ad- H (in triangle) 1/10 . 10 ditional, at shipper's ontion. For further information, apply at the Agency of the Company, Praya West. GEO. F. BOWMAN, Agent.

# Hongkong, July 15, 1868.

Shipping. FOR SHANGHAL The American Steamer " MARS,"

will have despatch for the above Port. For Freight or Passage, apply to AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Hongkong, November 3, 1868.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG & CALCUTTA, The British steamer  $^{-\alpha}LIGHTNING^{-\alpha}$ Capt. Robger, will be despatched for the above ports, on Friday next, the Despatches will close at 4 P.M.

Hongkong, November 3, 1868. STEAM TO SWATOW, HE P. & O. steam-ship "GANGES,"will leave for the above place on FRIDA) the 6th instant, at 4 P.M.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

W. MACAULAY,

For Freight or Passage, apply to

Superintendent, Hongkong, November 2, 1868. The Diamond Line S. S. "UNITED SERVICE,"

For Freight or Passage, apply to THE BORNEO CO. LIMITED. Hougholig, October 16, 1868.

## Shipping.

FOR LONDON.

(Via Singapore, Penang and Mauritius.) The Ocean Steam-ship Co.'s "NESTUR."

DERNNING, MASTER, expected from Shaughai about the 3rd proximo, will be despatched for the above ports on or about the 6th idem. Rate of Freight for Tea £3.10/ per ton of

Rate of Freight for Silk £4.10/ per ton For further particulars regarding freight BIRLEY & Co.

Hongkong, October 27, 1868. FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER The first class French ship "LA PLATA.

JUBIN, Master, of 444 tons register. For particulars, apply to F. EDERIC DEGENAER.

FOR CHARTER TO BOMBAY. The British ship ' " UHANTICLEER,"

For particulars, apply to

FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 American barque of 468 Tons Register, HARDING, "STERLING" cargo engaged, will load here, and at Whampoa, and have early despatch for the

OLYPHANT & Co. Hongkong, October 20, 1868.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The North German Ship will load for the above Port and have despatch. For Freight, apply to

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Hougkong, October 13, 1868. FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

540 Tons Register Mornison Master, will have quick despatch For Freight or Passage, apply to

FOR SALE. The A 1 North German Brig "GAZELLE" of 196 Tons Register, built in 1865 all of Oak copper-fastened and coppered. She ranges 3/3 L 1.1. in

Apply to CARLOWITZ & Co.

# Aotices to Consignees.

HE following cases have been landed and stored at the risk and expense of he Consignees, who are requested to take immediate delivery. Ex "Donnai," 7th January, 1868. 531 . . . . 1 Case Paper.

Ex "Hoogly," 31st October, 1868,

C. BERTRAND, Principal Agent. Hongkong, October 31, 1868.

#### NOTICE. 11BE Undersigned will from this date tran-

LIAMS & Co. C. D. WILLIAMS. Hongkong, November 2, 1868. NOTICE.

C. LANGDON DAVIES. Hongkong, July 1, 1868. NOTICE.

OLMSTED and Mr H. SEYMOUR GEARY are authorized to sign our Firm in Hongkong and China from this date. OLYPHANT & Co. Hongkong, October 6, 1868.

S. L. PHELPS,

Hongkong, November 2, 1868. Capt. J. Jenkins, of 738 Tons Register.

Hongkong, October 31, 1868.

above port. For Freight, apply to

The British ship

BOSMAN & Co. Hongkong, September 24, 1868.

Veritas until May 1873. The vessel is in

## Hongkong, October 21, 1868.

p (in diamond)

Notices of Firms. sact a General Commission Business at this port under the firm of C. D. WIL-

HAVE this day established myself as a PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT, AVERAGE AR-JUSTER and GENERAL COMMISSION AGENT.

1 HE Interest and Responsibility of Mr. WILLIAM NEILSON in our Firm ceased on the 30th June last, Mr Tobias Plu, Mr William Nisbet

expected to arrive from Eng. | ROM and after this date Mr George F. land before the end of the Bowman will act as AGENT of the forwarded to him, at the Bakery, or left at month, will proceed immediately to Shang- Pacific Mail Steam-ship Company at this

FOR SALE. DAMORNIE, RATTLER, and IN PATHFINDER. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkoug, October 29, 1868.

NOTICE. WE have authorized Mr CLAUS BUDDE to sign our Firm from this date. DREYER & Co. Hongkong, January 1, 1868.

R. HENRY LISTON DALRYMPLE is authorised to sign our Firm per procuration, at Foochow from this date. BIRLEY & Co. Hongkong, June 3, 1868.

NOTICE. ARRYLE HOLME has been admitted a partner in our Firm. GLOVER & Co. Nagasaki, January I, 1867.

NOTICE. HAVE established myself at this port as General Commission Merchant, under he Style and Firm of GIFFORD F. PARKER GIFFORD FORBES PARKER.

## New Advertisements.

Saigon, December 20, 1867.

TO LEND ON MOSTGAGE. \$22,000 on first class Property, not occupied by Chi-Address "W. T. M." at the Office of this

Hongkong, November 5, 1868. PUBLIC AUCTION. TIME Undersigned has received instructions from WILBERFORCE WILson, Esq., Surveyor General, to sell by Public Auction, at the "Royal Mint," on

MONDAY. 9th November, 1868, at 11 o'clock A.M. Sundry Old Ironwork, Lumber, Surplus Stores, etc., etc., etc. TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery

in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. GEORGE A. F. NORRIS, Govt. Auctioneer. Hongkong, November 5, 1868.

FAWCETT & Co., TATINE & SPIRIT MERCHANTS. GENERAL STORE KEEPERS, AND Commission Agents. Wyndham Street, Hongkong.

NOTICE. N and after the 1st November, 1868. BOARD and Longing-Board or LODGING-OF SPARE BED ROOMS, Furnished or Unfurnished, can be had at the House formerly known as the Uniental Hotel. Board and Lodging,... \$50 per Month.

For further particulars, apply to FAWCETT & Co. Hongkong, October 30, 1868.

SAILORS' HOME, WEST POINT. Hon. W. Keswick, | - Forbes, Esq. H. G. THOMSETT,

Hon. H. B. GIBE, W. MAGAULAY, Esq. G. J. HELLAND, Esq. D. SASSOON, Esq. Rev. W. R. BEACH. G. HEARD, Esq. J. J. MORBAY, M.D. W. Lenann, Esq. Committee of Management.

Esq., R.N.

Hon. W. KEBWICK, Chairman, W. MACAULAY, Esq. | H. G. THOMSETT, G. J. HELLAND, Esq. | Esq., R.N.

ONATIONS of Books, Periodicals, Newspapers, Clothes, &c., will be mos thankfully received. OVERBURY

Sup rintendent. " Hongkong, October 29, 1868.

MILLAR, ANDREW HOUSE, SHIP, & STEAM-BOAT COPPERSMITH & BRASSFOUNDER No. 1, Queen's Road East and Nullah Lane. Hongkong, October 28, 1868.

WANTED. ONNAGE to Amoy for 300 to 400 Tons of Dead Weight. ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, October 21, 1868.

VICTORIA REGATTA CLUB.

The Hon. WM. KESWICK, Chairman J. RICKETT, Jur., Esq. RICHARD F. HAWKE, Esq. A\_W., GLENNIE, ESQ.

Committee:

TROGRAMME of the 15th Annual Meet-FIRST DAY,

A. McLEon, Esq., Hon. Secretary.

Tuesday, 10th November, 1868. FIRST RACE, I.P.M -For Boats pulled by non-commissioned Officers and Men of any Regiment or Corps in Garrison. Distance, one mile. Prizes: first Boat, \$25; second, \$10. Time for Cars. Entrance fee, \$1. Officers can officiate as Coxswains if necessary.

SECOND RACE, 1.30 P.M.—For Single Pair Sculling Boats. Distance, one mile. Prize: the GOLD CHALLENGE SOULLS. to be won two years in succession by the same member, and a Cup valued \$25, presented by the OLUB.

trance fee, \$5. THIED RACE, 2.30 P.M .- For Four oared Canton Cutters. Distance, one mile and a lish. Prize: the CHAIRMAN'S Cup, value \$200. Entrance fee, \$10. FOURTH RACE, 3 P.M .- For Men-of-war's Gigs. Distance, one mile. Prizes :

first Boat, \$20; second, \$5. Time for Cars. Entries received by R. F. HAWKE, Esq , until noon on Saturday, the 7th November. Entrance fee, \$1. FIFTH RAGE, 3.50 P.M. - For Pair Oars and

Two Pair Sculling Boats. Distance, one mile. Prize, the AMERICAN CUP, valued \$300, presented by the American Community. Entrance fee, \$5.

### New Advertisements.

SIXTH RACE, 4 P.M.—For Canoes. Distance, from the shore to the Flag-ship, and once round. Prize: the BROKER's CUP, value \$50. Entrance fee, \$2. Should six or more Canoes start, a 2nd Prize (\$20) and 3rd Prize (\$10) will be given for the 2nd and 3rd Canoes.

SEVENTH RACE, 4.30 P.M. -For House Boats pulled by Chinamen, the bond fide crews of the Boats entered. Distance, one mile. Prizes: First Boat, \$15; Second, \$5. Entrance fee, \$1. Entries to be made to the Honorary Secretary before Noon on Saturday, 7th November.

AILING RAGE FOR ALL OPEN BOATS, Chinese excepted. Prizes: first Boat, \$25; second, \$10. Course to be specified hereafter. Entrance fee, \$2 Entries to be made to the Honorary Secretary before Noon on Saturday, 7th November.

HARBOUR YACHT RACE. - For all Yachts. Schooners to sail as Cutters, deducting one-third of their tonnage. Time allowance fifteen seconds per ton. Prizes, the Toong-Foo Cur, presented by E. A. HITCHCOCK, Esq., and the CANTON Cur, presented by the Canton Regatta Club. First boat to have the choice of Prizes, the remaining Prize to go to second boat. Entrance fee, \$5. P ticulars of the Course will be du

#### SECOND DAY.

Wednesday, 11th November, 1868. FIRST RACE, 1 P.M.—For Men of war's Cutters. Distance, one mile. First Boat, \$25; second, \$10. Entrance fee, \$1. Entries received by R. F.

Hawke, Esq., until noon on Saturday, the 7th November. SECOND RACE, 1.30 P.M. For Single Pair Sculling Boats. Distance, one mile. Frize: the Ladies' Purse, presented by the Ladies of Hongkong. Entance

THIRD RACE, 2.30 P.M.—For Four-oared Cauton Cutters. Distance, one mile and a half. Prize: the Perthsuire REGATTA CUP, value \$150, presented by the Officers of H. M. 73rd (Perthshire Regiment). The Winners of the Chairman's Cup excluded. Entrance

fee. \$10. FOURTH RACE, 3 P.M .- For all Boats man by Europeans. Distance, one mile. Prizes : first Boat, \$25 ; second, \$10. Time for Cars. Entries received by the Secretary until noon on Saturday, the 7th November. Entrance fee, \$1.

FIFTH RACE, 3.30 P.M. -For Pair Oars and Two Pair Sculling Boats. Distance, one mile. Prize, the BISNEE CUP, value \$100, presented by D. RUTTUN-JEE, Esq. Winners of the American Cup excluded. Entrance fee, \$5.

SIXTH RACE, 4 P.M. -- For Boats pulled by non-commissioned Officers and Men of any Corps in Garrison. Distance, one mile. Time for oars. Prizes: first Boat, \$20; second, \$5. Winners of the first race first day excluded. Entrance fee, \$1.

SEVENTH RACE, 4.30 P.M.—For Single Pair Sculling Boats. Distance, one mile. Prize, the Lwong-Loons Cur, valued \$100, presented by C. D. KERR, Esq. Winners of any Single Pair Sculling Race in China or elsewhere excluded. Entrance fee, \$5.

EIGHTH RACE, 5 P.M.—For four-oared Canton Cutters. Distance, one Prize, the JINKEE CUP, value \$150, presented by a Subscriber. Entrance fee, \$10.

YACHT RACE .- For Schooners and Cutters. Prizes, the Navat and Garrison Curs No time allowance between Schooners and Cutters, but boats under 12 tons will be allowed 20 seconds per ton (for each ton under 12) in their own class. The first · boat in of either rig to have the choice o Prizes, and the first boat of the other rig to take the remaining prize. Entrance fee \$5. Particulars of the Course will be duly announced.

OCEAN RACE. -For Yachts, Prize, the DOUGLAS CHALLENGE CUP value \$500. presented by Douglas Lapraik, Esq., to be won two years successively by a Yacht or Yachts the bona fide property of the same owner. The Course will be from Hougkong Harbour to Macao and back. Schooners to sail as Cutters, deducting one-third of their ton-Time allowance one minute per ton. Entrance fee, \$10. Full particulars of the course and day of the Race will be duly announced.

The above Programme is subject to any future alterations the Committee may find

it necessary to make. Weights, colors, and names of each Crew for Presentation Prizes for Rowing must be stated on entering Boats. All entries (not otherwise specified) must

fore the 31st October, 1868. The Races will commence each day at 1 P.M. and Tiffin will take place on board the Flag Ship each day after the Second

A. McLEOD, Hon. Secretary. Victoria Regatta Club.

MORRIS'S DIRECTORY FOR CHINA JAPAN AND THE PHILIPPINES.

&c., &c., 1869.

HE Undersigned begs to announce that the first volume of the above work will be published early in January 1869. and he requests that the schedules addressed to the different residents be returned as soon as possible and that all foreigners lately arrived in China will kindly send their names for insertion without delay. Orders will be received by and copies can be obtained from Messrs Drown & Co. Swatow, Messia Giles & Co. Amoy, Messia HEDGE & Co. Fonchow, Shanghai Recorder Office Shanghai, Japan Times Office Yokohama, Messrs C se & Co. Nagasaki, F. ALGAR, Esq., Clements Lane, London, and Messes J. Stratman & Co. San Francisco.

Hongkong. N. B.—All advertisements must be sent in not later than 15th November, Hongkong, Ostober 19, 1868.

J. B. MORRIS,

New Advertisements. ELABLE & ELOBIS. General & Commission Agents MAGASAKI.

STEAM-BOAT "MEKONG,". ENDERS are invited stating the lowest price for altering the above steamer lying at anchor off Shamien, Canton, now propelled on the centre wheel system, into a paddle-wheel boat. Particulars may be obtained from the Undersigned, who do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or

WM. PUSTAU & Co. Hongkong, October 29, 1868.

NOTICE. LOCUMENTS Translated, at reasonab rates, from English, French, Spanish Italian, Portuguese or German into Chi nese, or from Chinese into English.

The "China Mail" Office, 2. Wyndham Street, Hongkong.

NOTICE. 1'HE Undersigned begs to inform the Public of Hongkong that he has just opened THE HOTEL DES COLONIES RES-TAURANT, where he will personally superintend his own Cüisine. He is prepared to take orders and deliver to any part of the ( ity at the shortest notice. He is also ready to cater or take the management of Balls, Parties, &c. Having been several years Cook of the New York Club, he feels confident, by a strict attention to business, to merit a share of public patronage.

N. B .- Baked Fork and Beans, Thursday and Sunday. Fish Chowder, Tuesday and H. TRENT.

Hongkong, October 17, 1868. CANTON RACES. THE above Races will take place on Wednesday 16th and Thursday 17th Dec-

No. 198, Queen's Road West,

Further particulars will be duly announc-FRED. W. COARL,

Clerk of the Course. Hongkong, October 14, 1868.

### NEW BOOK,

THE Speculations of The Old Philosopher LAU Teze." Translated from the Chinese JOHN CHALMERS, A.M. Price \$1.50.

"The Origin of the Chinese" by the same author: Price \$1. Apply at Messrs Lane, Chawford & Co. or The London Mission House. Hongkong, October 17, 1868.

> LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORATION. LIFE ASSURANCE.

THE Undersigned are authorised to issue Life Policies for sums not exceeding HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, October 14, 1868.

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF MANCHESTER AND LONDON. THE Undersigned have been appointed

Hongkong, Canton, Foochow, changhai and liankow, and are prepared to grant Insurances at current rates. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, October 14, 1868.

## SAYLE & Co.

VICTORIA EXCHANGE. INVITE inspection of their New and we assorted summer Stock of Black and Blue Broad CLOTES.

Naval and Military CLOTHS.

Light Mixt and Fancy TWEEDS. Self and Fancy Colored FLANNELS. Plain and Fancy DRILLS, DUCKS, &c. Quilting and Marseilla VESTINGS.

The Tailoring Department under the management of first class English Cutters.

TIES and SCARFS in great variety. The new Shapes in Gentlemen's COLLARS.

Long Cloth, Silk and Wool SHIRTS. PAJAMAS.

be made to the Hon. Secretary, on or be- Gauze, Merino and Silk UNDERVESTA HOSIERY of all kinds.

> Gentlemen's Straw and Felt HATS i Various Shapes. Household LINENS of every description.

> A large Stock of French Printed MUSLINS of the Latest Patterns:

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THE "TREATY PORTS OF CHINA & JAPAN," AND "NOTES AND QUERIES ON CHINA AND JAPAN. EXTRACTS FROM REVIEWS.

(From the "Friend of India," June 4, 1868. We acknowledge with thanks the receip of the numbers for the current year of Notes and Queries," a most deserving Anglo-Chinese monthly, edited by Mr N. B. Dennys, whose "Treaty Ports of China and Japan" are so well known. From the Newspaper via Southamnames attached to the "Notes" we can see that the contributors include some of the best Chinese scholars in the East. terest is not confined to China, and it will be of valuable assistance to all scholars, who have directed their attention towards the subject of Buddhism and its literature, and generally to all who are interested in oriental antiquities. It deserves to be better

known in India. (From the "Straits Times," July 27, 1868.) Some time ago we had occasion to remark upon the progress that Literature as represented by the Press had made and was making in the East, and our attention has General Post Office, Hongkong, Agents for the above Company at again been called to the subject by the redeserves some notice and which we have much pleasure in introducing to the knowledge of our readers. We allude to Notes and Queries on thing and Japan, published monthly by Mr Saint, the proprietor of the exceeding half-an-ounce in weight poster China Mail newspaper. This publication in Hongkong or at any of the Ports in and shape is very like its well-known namesake or prototype at home, and is equally a any of the Ports in China and Japan, am mine containing very curious and useful conveyed in the Mails by British Packet, is information regarding the language, literature, history, manners and customs of the Cents. Chinese and in a less degree of the Japanese. It says a good deal for the extent and stability of the footing of Europeans in China, that such a publication as this should be established and conducted with

apparently successful vigour. The publication is altogether a very interesting one, and wishing it every success, we commend it to the attention and support of our readers

(From the "London Examiner," May This really useful volume ["Treaty Ports of China and Japan"] is intended as a guide for travellers and residents in China and Japan, and as a hook of reference for inercantile men generally. It contains an account, historical and political, of all the open ports of these countries, together with Peking, Yede, Hongkong, and Macso. has been carefully compiled and edited by Mr N. B. Denuys; and the elaborate maps and plans, with which the work abounds, considerably enhance its value. \* \* \* We have thus given in outline some of the more prominent portions of the chapter devoted to Canton, as a specimen of the whole volume. Other chapters treating Macao, Formosa, Ningpo, Shanghae, and the remainder of the treaty ports, we can only enumerate. The pages describing Peking, the capital, are so interesting, and contain so much that is new to European readers respecting its history, public buildings, and general characteristics, that we would fain transfer them to our columns.

accurate notion of the relative position its divisions, streets, and places. In the introductory chapter to the notices of the Treaty Ports of Japan will be found a succinct history of that Empire, together with remarks on its government, geography, and limits, which will be found particularly interesting as throwing a considerable light on a part of the world so long entirely, and still comparatively, unknown to Europeans. The descriptions of Nagasaki, Yedo, Yokohama, and the other Treaty Ports of Japan, are as elaborate and entertaining as those of the Chinese ports. A copious index and a useful appendix containing many hints and much appropriate advice to traveilers and others, is also included in the volume. The entire work affords a vast amount of information, pleasantly written, and we doubt not will be perused with interest by many who will never visit the

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A complete and intelligible plan of the Im-

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## LATEST SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS. Nov. 5, Ocean, Freuch barque, Nurynes, Sydney, Sept. 20, 700 tons Coal. -Russell & Co.

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Caroline, for Chefoo, Pantalon, for Saigon. Mogi, for Yokohama.

SHIPPING REPORTS. The French barque Ocean, from Sydney, reports fine weather all the passage till last three days in China sea, had steady N.E. monsoon till arrival in port. Crossed the Equator on 14th Oct., in long. 160 East, thence fine weather; 45 days out.

POST-OFFICE NOTIFICATIONS

MAILS WILL CLOSE:-For SWATOW,— Per "GANGES," at 3 P.M. on Friday,

the 6th instant. OF SINGAPURE, PENANG AND CAL-CUTTA.— Per "LIGHTNING," at 4 P.M., on Fri-

day, the 6th Instant.

For MANILA,-

Per H. C. M. Str. "VENCEDORA about three bours after the arrival of the British Construct Packet now expected with the Mail from home.

" | For SAN FRANCISCO,-Per "LOUGLASS," To-morrow, the 6th instant, at I P.M.

1. It is hereby notified for general information that, the Contract between the covernment of Arauritius and the Union Steam-ship Company, for the Conveyance of Mails once a Month between Ceylon and Mauritius, and between Mauritius and Natal, having termmated, the correspondence for Mauritins will be forwarded from this Office in the Mail for Aden, from whence it will be sent to its destination by the French Mail Packets leaving Aden for Atennion and Mauritius on the Z3rd of each

2. No alteration has been made in the rates of Postage on correspondence au-

dressed to Mauritius. 3. As the communication with Natal and the Cape of Good hope is thus cut off, the correspondence for those Colonies, unless marked to be forwarded by Private Ship, will, in future, be sent in the Mails for London at the following rates of Postage, which must be paid in advance, viz :--

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exceeding 8 oz.; and 28 cents for every additional 8 ounces. F. W. MITCHELL, Postmaster General.

TT is hereby notified that, under the pro visions of a Treasury Warrant dated the 7th May, the Postage on a Letter not. is well printed on good paper, and in size | China and Japan addressed to Egypt, or posted in Egypt addressed to Hongkong or French," his honest outspokenness was reduced from Twenty-four Cents to Twelve

> For Letters exceeding half-an-ounce weight a further rate of Twelve Cents for each half ounce is chargeable. Prepayment of the Postage is compulsory F. W. MITCHELL Postmaster General

General Post Office. Hongkong, July 15, 1868.

UNDER DESPATCH. For Swatow. - Per Ganges, at 4 P.M. on

Friday, the 6th instant. For Singapore, Penang and Calcutta.-Per L ghtning, on Friday, the 6th instant,

For San Francisco.—Per Douglass, Tomorrow, the 6th instant.

## QUOTATIONS.

Hongkong, 5th November, 1868. OPIUM,-Patna, New, ... \$625 Benares, New, Matwa, ... ... COTTON.-BOMBAY, ...

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NOTICE .- It is particularly requested that all communications relating to the general business of this paper be addressed to the Froprietor and in no case to individuals by name. Much delay and inconvenience in the transaction of business will thereby ha

TO CORRESPONDENTS. Our columns are open to all who wish to address the public on legitimate grounds, but

we do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions of our correspondents. All communications addressed to this paner must be accompanied by the name of the sender, not necessarily for publication, but a

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## The China Mail.

HONGKONG, THURSDAY, NOV. 5, 1868.

THE NATIVE NOTIFICATIONS. THE native notification recently posted at Shanghai of which we published a copy, does not appear to be either the first or last of the series. From the North-China Daily News we learn that another even more offensive is being recirculated in the adjacent provinces, and it behaves the foreign representatives to take the strongest possible action in the matter. By the "strongest possible action" we mean a demand for the immediate punishment—heavy punishment -of the Mandarin (Magistrate) in whose district the obnoxious placards were posted without remonstrance or removal. and the imposition of a heavy fine upon the offending city: with the option of an enforcement, at the point of the bavenet, of the terms demanded, if satisfaction oe refused. Of course such a proposition will be received with the contempt usually bestowed upon any outburst of nonest teeling which has its source in a real regard for our national honor, our position, our commerce, and our lives in China. But let the scoffers remember that some two years ago, we accurately predicted the course of events when outages (small indeed by comparison to those of recent record) were allowed to o unpunished and unchecked. We teclared that to overlook the insolence of the crafty, pig-tailed semi-barbarian who bore rule in central China would .ead to the adoption of intimidation not merely by those under his more immeiate authority but by others at a dissauce. The event has proved the soundness of our views. From all parts of hina comes the same cry. Missionaries are stoned or burned, merchants are mobbed and beaten and robbed, officials re snubbed to an extent that actually excites the indignation of the mercantile community; and all for what? That the wretched and un-English policy of the oreign office-often indeed the careless ess of a parcel of lazy clerks in that comfortable but eminently useless departuent,-may have free play! We should ie false to our principles, did we not express the convictions we entertain in the most forcible language at our com nand. We gare little for the mincing comments of those who say, "Dear me, what strong language! It's really too dery." When Nelson expressed his beief that every Englishman should "Fear God, honor the King, and damn the universally approved. We have learned to esteem the French as brave men, but it is to be hoped that the march o uamby pambyismi" will not quite iob us of the honesty which once distinguished an Englishman's expressions. So long as we, at least, deal with Chinese matters, we shall adhere to the tone we have hitherto adopted. Would that the representatives of Great Britain dared to act

aai Chamber of Commerce should gusrantee the securities given to the Custom authorities for the payment of duties b vessels desirous of immediate clearing one of the most absurd which has yet ema nated from the brain of the "prime Minister" of China-Mr Hart. To suppose that a Chamber of Commerce, which is in fact a commercial debating society on a large scale, would undertake to guarantee any or every of its members, betrays either, an ignorance of its constitution which is scarcely credible, or s needless expenditure of ink and paper which is hard to comprehend. plea put forward that the Customs might lose in the event of failure on the par 17 a 20½ of the merchant guaranteeing passes i scarcely as strong as it at first sight appears. If there be such danger the Customs (especially the Chinese Customs) must run the risk just as the vendors of the articles do. But, it will be said, the guarantee system is a favor on the part of the Customs, and, if the treat suffer considerable inconvenience, "Very good; we will have the treaty article altered," should be the response of the mercantile communities in China, if the possessed an ounce of common sense, a pennyweight of pluck or a drache of regard for mutual interest. They could, if they would, mould our policy in China. If they do not choose to take the trouble, let them suffer. It is ref. evident that this will be the conclusion arrived at by the Chinese, aided by their foreign employés, though few will, we believe, be found to put the matter in such plain language as we do. The

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LOCAL

SEVERAL criminals yesterday underwent the ceremony of whipping. The scene of punishment was new and so partly were the instruments employed. A spot opposite the Joss house in Hollywood road was chosen for the edifying spectacle, in place of the four roads, and the criminals were crouching on the old whipping post which has now become a thing of the past. We very much doubt the alleged moral effect of these public whippings. Yesterday an unusually large number of Chinese assembled to witness what they seemed to regard as a sort of amusement, provided for their recreation, rather than as an exhibition of punitive power intended as a warning to them against doing wrong. There was a grunt of real admiration when the sturdiest villain that was triced up received his thirty-five strokes without an audible murmur, and with very little shrinking of the There were between 500 and 600 Chinamen in the road; and the scaffolding in front of neighbouring buildings was crowded. A strong body of police was present and the proceedings were superintended by Dr Muiray and by Mr Douglas, the governor of the Gaol. The sight was a very curious one, especially in an ethnological point of view. Under the administration of the Auglo-Saxon "coloured" individuals chastised Chinamen and Sikhs kept guard over the proceedings; and in the crowd was a miscellaneous lot gathered from many nations of the earth.

CAPTAIN GREEN of the Mars (late Indore) heard a startling noise in the water early yesterday morning, and found the cause thereof to be a Bengalee, who was tryin. to save himself from drowning, but whose strength was evidently far spent. There were several Chinese boats near to the man, but his position did not excite any active sympathy among their tenants, so Capt. Green put off a boat of his own and picked the half-drowned man up. He said tha be jumped overboard from a ship in har bor to save himself from cruel treatment by his Captain,

A match was played on the 3rd and 4tl. November between two elevens of 73rd Perthshire Rgt. v. Hongkong Cricket Club. Owing to the lateness of the hour at which play was commenced and the consequent want of time, the match terminated in a draw in favor of the 73rd-100 runs being required by the Club at the fall of the 9th wicket. Mr Price (73rd) played well for his side, making 71 runs and bowling 1. wickets in the two innings. Mr Maclean (H. K. C. C.) distinguished himself by his quick and smart fielding at point. 1st Innings .- 73RD REGT.

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TO-DAY'S POLICE. Mr Goodlake sat to-day; and, in addiuon to two or three cases of the charges saids of young girls who are making gentleof minor interest.

No. 1692 - NOVEMBER 5, 1868.] A curious case, illustrative of the original of insisting on them as a right, hopes that views of right or wrong as to the possession they will be established. The Uhinese of a sort of lien upon unmarried females are scarcely so feeble as to let our "hopes" influence them, unless their Goodlake. It appears that Yeung Ating. own interest and a peremptory tone on ance with a girl named Fung Yung, who, from a reliable source. resided in a house with large numbers kept. THE Portuguese Amateurs repeated the performance of Um Drama no Mar at the Lusitano last night before a numerous

determined to make reprisals. In company | nations, kindreds and tongues had been with a number of coolies (more than ten) | placed in the vacant offices ! that Mr Fitz these indignant persons made a raid on the Roy's scheme had been set aside; and that shopkeeper's premises, searched his shop, nothing had been done beyond placing a and finding the girl in an inner room, revolving light, inferior to the old one, on poor shopkeeper got his tail twisted | Gutzlaff. with great force, got hit two or three The plain facts of the matter are these. times by the attendant coolies, and got The new department referred to has not disfigured generally. But this was not been called the "Hydrographic Office." the worst. He called for Police, but no The Inspector General has called it the one came; and then the fighting woman | Marine department. The term "Hydroturned the tables on him by getting a graphic" was brought into use by the late policeman and giving him in charge for Harbour Master six years ago as a suitable having kidnapped a girl. To further this | heading for the se of his notifications which charge a different girl from that who ori- were Hydrographical; but the Inspector | the glowing accounts so frequently cir- | to some joyful remarks to the effect that,

shopkeeper, he was beaten and dragged Americans, one is a Frenchman, two are by one anxious for information as to the in the meantime that the minister was no through the streets—(where the Police were | Englishmen, and all are tried men. The real state of affairs before he took any prodicy of wisdom, and when he told her in the meantime was not stated); and all former chief and two of the members of the decisive step, which has been kindly for- that his own wife had deciphered her signs; this although the girl had joined him of Harbour Master's office at this port are fitted with ropes and belts, instead of her own free will.—Inspector Craddock, promoted. The others referred to in the it appears, was the inspector in question. and he told the pugilistic woman that "she duties have been added the management of can, but I am afraid you will not be able jewel." Bere upon the princess instantly had no case." Upon this the poor shop- pilotage and harbour affairs, but who derive to procure employment here, the place bribed the guard, and bade him go and keeper took out a summons for assault only a small portion of their salaries from being so small and business very dull. against the former protectors of the girl; the Tonnage dues. The appointments have In reference to the Gold Fields, I will times. This sign told his wife that he was and hence the case.—The pugilistic female economy and efficiency. appeared, but not her husband; and the girl in dispute has evidently been stowed

away by the defendants. A warrant was

a fishmonger, and two boatmen, as suspi- with the provincial authorities having Edwards of H. B. M. Gunboat Insolent, criminals with it. But when they were led cious characters dangerous to the peace of failed to procure the requisite funds." The and Dr Dunscombe, have made an excur- into his presence he discovered that the some time on duty at Stonecutter's Island, on the Tungsha ship was also obtained by of gold are from hearsny. The fact is, I be- and the minister's own wife. "Where is he identified the doctor (Chun Chung Ming) | Mr. Fitz Roy and is much superior to the lieve that the Chinese are leading every one | my daughter?"-he cried. "How should as one of the convicts who escaped from the old one, although it has been found not to astray, for their own purposes. tiulk in 1864. Jeremiah further gave it as revolve satisfactorily when the vessel rolls We have here 600 drilled troops lately "My wife," the minister meekly replied, his opinion that the house in which the heavily, -a point which is now under con- arrived from Tientsin, and they are now f wished to see the royal gardens prisoners were apprehended was a place sideration. The only part of the programme encamped under the City Walls, but they were belated and locked in." "In from whence samshoo was brought in small | founded on the grant of money, and the | are not supposed to have been sent down | case," the king replied, "bring boats and sold to ships in harbor.-Inspec- | consular action of 1866, which has not been | to prevent foreigners from mining. tor Livingston added his conviction to that fulfilled is the erection of a Lighthouse on of Mr Foley, and said he was certain that the Saddles, and the more that project is diggers will have to return to Chefoo when | condemned to death. "I am ready to die," the doctor was an inmate of the Stonecutter inquired into, the more clearly will it be the winter sets in, and as they are out of he said; "but, knowing that it was your

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safety for his family.

the far East. Confucius, vacant by the recent death of sui beacons to mark the entrance of the tales? There are much stranger migrations Captain Marsell, has been given to Mr | port have been put up. | Beacons have also | known to the student of comparative fairy Neilson, with Mr Anderson as chief officer. been put up at different places on the lore, not to say mythology; and we are far Both of these gentlemen are Swedes.

would be the case, the attempt made by the ance of funds which it was some time ago notion, not as a conjecture, but as an estabgame society to keep pheasants from being announced had been placed at the disposal lished fact. The story itself shows, condestroyed before they were in full feather, of the Inspector General, did not begin to sidering the "simple and patriarchal" state has had the effect of making the Chinese | be paid until April last. The divisional of society in which it was first told, a very more determined to thwart us. In short, Inspectors appointed to supervise pilotage advanced state of oulture. Its theme is one it is the old story of the Priest, the Ostler and Harbour affairs and report on the common enough, indeed—adultery. But happy, except the poet, who has betrayed and the Beans. This stableman would not lights and buoys required at each port. en- the difference is that, when found out, it is the trick to his readers. have thought of greasing the horse's teeth tered on their duties in May and June, not resented by the injured party, in this to prevent his mustication if the Reverend and sent in their reports in August and case the wife. On the contrary, it is by her Father had not put it in his head by asking September. On the 31st of August the wise counsel that the lives of her wicked if he had ever committed such a sin! The acting chief of the new department died husband and his paramour are saved.

THE famous saying of Shakespeare that "there is a divinity that shapes our ends," man's hoots,

cent on old rates.

LIGHTHOUSES (Shanyhae Recorder.) We have much pleasure in inserting the amongst the Chinese, was heard before Mr following interesting particulars concerning the lighting of the coast and of the entrance

In an article which appeared lately in the by Chun Akum (female) and Shi Achow Supreme Court Gazette, and which was re-(male). So strong had this attachment published by the North China Daily News, become that the fair one left her protectors it was stated in regard to the Lighting of in Taipingshan and risked her fortune and the Coast, that a staff out of proportion to her person with the aforesaid shopkeeper: the work to be done had been established restraining their gratification of it. This proceeding so enraged the girl's for- | by the Inspector General of Customs, under mer protectors that the mistress of the the title of the "Hydrographic Office: numbered establishment and her husband | that a generation of untited men of all they dragged her away by force, in spite board the Tungsha Lightship, and comher bitter cries of distress; while the meneing the erection of a Lighthouse on

ginated the trouble was then produced; General has not used it and has had no oc- culated here, and thereby induced to give now the princess was caught, many a man's Customs' Gazette are officials to whose hand; I will try to oblige you as far as I take with you?" 'Yes," he said; "this (in Hongkong at least) is that it seems to

acts as a special constable over there, and a grant of money (Tis) 36,000), for clined to do anything else rather than king had heard of his daughter's misdeed, frequently is of great assistance to the lighting the approaches to this port, "the work. Island Hulk, and he most have had 18 seen that the doubts about it have so funds, I am afraid that many of them will daughter, and not this woman, whom not have been there.—The case was re- the postponement of it. Capt. Brooker unless their respective Consuls help them | through the ordeal of the wheatcorns first.' manded for the appearance and evidence of | of the surveying ship Sylvia has been repre- | out of the place. sented by the North China Daily News to Ho Aon, a hawker (a favorite profession | bestrongly opposed to placing a light on the with old offenders, by the way) was brought | Saddles, and there are many who agree with up and charged with having stolen a pipe him. The lighting of the Amherst rocks, belonging to a respectable old widow named although universally admitted to be neces-Wong Atee, in her house in Praya West. | sary, was too large an undertaking to enter Prisoner was seen lurking about the stairs, | into the arrangement of 1866. The two

There is still too much uncertainty about locality in the case of the Saddles, and about the plan to be pursued in case of the Amhersts, to admit of the beginning of expenditure in either case. So much for Shanghai, but something | fairy tales to the world, in its original shape.

four months, ten days of which time to be has also been done at the other ports. We copy the following paragraphs from Ningpo was lighted out of local resources | -- Petersburg and Kasan alone, perhaps, Shanghai papers received by the China :-- by the Acting Commissioner, who was there excepted. His yearnings have at last, how-The Express says:—Grave fears are, we in 1864. The Inspector General has con- ever, been gratified by the acquisition of an regret to hear, entertained relative to stantly drawn the attention of the Govern- entire Mongol fount on the part of the enthe safety of the Shanse which ves- ment to the duty of lighting the coast, and terprising university bookseller at Inn-Tientsin for Chefoo and in the same year effected an arrangement spruck. The publication before us, duly Shanghai in company with the Kiushu; whereby he was to receive from the begin- dedicated to this star among publishers, is the latter, though not a very fast ning of 1865 a small portion of the neces- an extremely creditable specimen of the craft, arrived here on the 26th. When the sary funds. The Newchwang river was new types. Vuen-tze-fei left Chefoo twelve hours after | buoyed in the beginning of 1806, and a the Kiushu, the Shanse had not arrived light ship placed at the entrance to the port | sue by Dr. Jülg is, like those of the Siddh there; both vessels are starting to-day on in the spring of 1887. The pilotage sys- | Kur, derived from Indian sources, more their return trip Northward, but still no tem at the same port was re-organised early especially from the "Seventy Tales of in the summer of 1867, and has proved Parrot " (the Cukasaptati), the whole o A correspondent at Chefoo tells us that such a success as to command the favour- which, however, has not as yet been discoduring Sir Edmund Hornby's apparently | able notice of a correspondent in the North | vered in a Mongol version. A curious fact long vacation at that port, he was reported | China Daily News some months ago. The | connected with the story before us endows to be deeply engaged in preparing a draft re-organization of the pilotage arrangements it with a certain special interest. It is this under the Inspector General's instructions | that if exhibits the most striking family A Soochow Missionary gentleman, well at the various ports, is not to be lost sight | likeness to a certain episode in the principal known in Shanghai, has expressed his con- of in estimating what has been done by the German version of Tristan and Isolde. viction that the merciless treatment of the Customs and Marine department towards | Now it so happened that at the time of the Missionaries at Yangchow having up to the | facilitating navigation. | At the Peiro, | Mongol invasion of Silesia that poem was present time been allowed to pass with buoys were placed on the bar early in 1867, one of the most popular in Germany. The impunity, that a like affair will happen at | and in August of the same year the Tien- | battle of Liegnitz, in consequence of which Soochow, where the people are already tsin pilots were brought under the new the Turanian hordes had to give up the doshowing every sign of hestility, openly ex- regulations. A signal station and tide pole minion which they had held for about pressing their dissatisfaction and determi | were also established at Taku, and a light | hundred years over Eastern Europe, was nation to drive them from the place. The house decided on for the Sha-li-tien island. | fought in 1241. Whatever be the precise gentleman in question, fearful as to the At Chefoo a lighthouse was crected in 1866. | date of the original Welsh story of Sir Trisresult of this bad feeling, has hastily re- The lighting of Ningpo has already been train, Lord of Ermounie, so much is turned to Scochow in order to provide mentioned. The pilots at that port were certain that in Germany the From the Friend of China we learn that the | At Foochow the control of the pilots had | von Strassburg, who flourished about 1210. French Naval Commander-in-Chief in these been handed over to the Customs by the The theme of the Mongol tale is Gottfried's North-China and Japan seas has resolved | Consuls in 1866, and the results have been | episode of the ordeal-which we do not reon giving up that Depot which, since the very satisfactory, At Amoy a light was member in the original version—through war, has been maintained at Woosung at no established in 1865, and this year the har- which the guilty woman is to prove her ininconsiderable expense:—the Dutch brig bour has been buoyed; the new pilotage nocence. The invents a russ whereby she Aquarius being under charter to transport system has also been brought into opera- may with apparent truth swear her oath. the stores at present on the premises to | tion, and a signal station has been erected. | and is saved. Could it be that these hordes Yokohama-henceforth to be the French In the Canton river a large iron beacon, took with them, on their way back, that Naval as well as Military head quarters in | which is to be furnished with a light, was | most popular portion of that most popular commenced below Whampoa some time ago | book of the day, and embodied it, with but The command of the Imperial Steam-ship | and is now in process of Frection. At Tam- | very slight alterations, in one of their own Yangteze.

As some old Shanghai-ites predicted | The monthly quotas of the larger allow- ridden a hobby to death by treating this

nage dues shall be devoted to the proper pur- father. "Since I may see neither man nor pose of the tax; nor does it assert distinct- beast, time hangs heavily on my hands. ly enough the full extent of that purpose. Un the fifteenth of this month I should like If the Chinese Government had been well to go out and to look a little about me. acquainted with lighthouses and anxious to The king agreed. Orders were a shopkeeper, had struck up an acquaint to the Yangteze, which we have received spend money on them, such a clause would mediately given to hold a have been sufficient. But the Government | exhibition, and to place everything well in knew little about lighthouses, had no spe- sight. Beasts may be allowed to promeucial desire to spend money on them, and | ade about, but both men and women were even if they had possessed such a desire, | to keep their doors and windows rigorousthe drain on their resources caused by the ly closed. Whosever was visible should be rebellion would have done much towards | punished most vaverely. These precautions

clause in question is this, that although it provides for cousu tation it does not specify what kind of an executive is to be employto the Chinese Government. No one will suppose that an executive could be managed by consultation.

Isles are, as mentioned in the S C. Gazette, cess's eager desire to see more of him. managed by three separate organizations: but in France and the United States, and in most other countries, the administration

THE CHEFOO GOLD DIGGINGS. warded to us for that purpose-

been made with the utmost regard to advise you not to pay any attention to in danger. She instantly dressed herself, what you hear. The men who were What Mr Fitz Roy did was for Shanghai, | digging for gold have not done anything, | to the poor prisoners," and was admitted and is not correctly described as a scheme and have abandoned all work. At present into the lungeon with her little basket of issued for the apprehension of the male so far as that word conveys the idea of they are trying to open a lead and silver fruit. She here changed dresses, especially defendant; and the case was consequently something more than local. He obtained, mine, but I am of opinion they will not "bonnets," with the princess, who left the as he says in his Trade Report for succeed, for want of funds! Moreover, I dungeon without any delay. The minister Jeremiah Foley, formerly a sergeant of 1866, from the Peking Government, am led to form a very poor opinion of their and his wife, however, wait d patiently to police, but now a green farmer at Kowloon, when he was Acting Inspector General, characters, as I think they are more in see what would happen. Meanwhile the

The public opinion here is, that the The guard was brought, and instantly

Yours truly,

Chefoo, 23rd October, 1868.

KALMUK POETRY.\* In a brief account which we gave a year or two ago of Dr. Jülg's labours in the far away fields of Kalmuk literature, we had to record that learned Turanian's grief at not being able to give the whole of the Siddhi-Kür, or collection of Mongol There was no Mongol press then in Europe

The tale selected for this preliminary is brought under the new system in 1867. | was first made known by Gottfried

from reproaching Dr. Julg with having

It is worthy of remark that the Treaty ... Mongolieche Marchen, Erzihlung aus der clause referred to by the Supreme Court | Sammling Ardschi Bordschi, Mongolisch und

being taken, the princess, in an open chariot Another thing to be remarked about the surrounded by many of her women and maidens, was driven through the city. But there was a minister whose name was Isaran; which means Moon. He had gone ed. This is left, as stated in the tenth up a balcony to have a good leisurely look clause of the rules appended to the Tariff, at this princess, and she, too, saw him and made him some mysterious signs with her fingers. Disquieted by them, he went down and told his wife, who informed him The lighting arrangements in the British | that these signs meant to express the prin-His fears regarding the king's orders she persuaded him to cast to the winds, and further gave him a jewel which she said might be of some use to him. The minister went his way, and next morning both he and the princess were found in the roy-That intending visitors to the Gold | algarden and taken prisoners by the guard, Fields of Chefoo may not be deceived by | and the captain could not forbear giving vent but the Inspector on duty had the judy casion to do so. Of the appointments no- up certain employment for a chance of life would be saved henceforth, since she ment to dismiss the charge at once. To tified in the last Customs Gazette only six obtaining the golden dross, --we (Friend | had brought so many to grief. The prinadd to the indignities heaped upon the poor represent new men, and of these, three are of ( hina) publish a letter received here, cess, however, seemed to have found out and not he, she said. "She must be a wise Dear \* \*, -Your note of 19th inst. to | woman ; has she not given you anything to

knock at the minister's own door three "as one of those why bring gifts and alms and waxed very wroth. He drew his sword Police. This morning he charged a doctor, efforts made by former Commissioners | Consul Markham, in company with Capt. and swore that he would slay both the the Colony; and as Jeremiah had been for new light spoken of as having been placed sion in the interior, but all their accounts supposed criminals were only the minister the guard who has accused my daughter.

months or two years' sentence or he would strengthened since 1866 as to fully justify have to trust to Providence for their living, caught, I should like the princess to go For if you swear a false oath by wheatcoms This is all the news I can give you of the | they at once grow up to the skies; but if state of affairs, and I can assure you I am | you speak the truth they remain utterly unstating what everybody here knows and moved. The princess at first demurred, then declared herself ready to take the oatl before all the people. Now the faithful wife painted her ministerial husband black all over, and advised him to feign blindness. deafness, lameness, and idiocy in general, and to join the throng. "Perhaps," she said. "the princess may yet find a way out of the difficulty." The king, seeing his minister in this strange disguise, did not repulsive creature. At that moment the "I will swear that have never loved any man more than this miserable cripple." Everybody marvelled at her great virtue in choosing the most out from nursery gardens either to private loathsome being to swear by. And since or public entertainments. she swore truly, the wheatcorns did not

The king and the ministers, together with all the people, extolled the princess and her innocence. The guard was instantly executed, and the minister who had been accused of loving and being loved by the royal child was acquitted with honour. So far the Mongol tale, which, whateve its origin, is now one of the best loved and most often recited in Mongol camps and In Gottfried von Strassburg's "Tristan und Isolde" King Mark assembles a council at "Lunders," by which the

manner of Isolde's ordeal is to be decided She declares herself ready to do anything. The "hot iron" is chosen and the day fixed. Isolde, when left alone at last, gins to bewail her dire fate. And praying and fasting she commits herself to Christ who "may yet help lier by a subterfuge." She then writes to Tristan to appear on the day appointed for the trial on the seashore. his head and face swathed and besmeared. in the garment of a pilgrim, torm and tattered and in rags, so that no one should ! any chance know him. Isolde, perceived him on the day of the trial while landing. and instantly cried out that none but that tattered and miserable old pilgim should carry her from the ship to the shore. "No good knight," she says, "should on a day like this as much as touch me." Her wish was granted. But no sooner has she reached the shore, carried in this wretched man's arms both fall to the ground. She then begs for mercy for the clumsy and feeble Pilgrim; whom they want to punish, an intercession for which they cannot praise her too profusely. She then continues, "In be hard for me now to swear that my arms have entwined none but King Mark You have all seen me lying by the side of

Thus bantering, she rides into Carlium where the ordeal is to take place. And proudly does she swear that no one except her husband and that pilgrim has ever embraced her. She thus goes triumphantly through the ordeal; having, however, first vowed all her gold and silver and goods to the Church. Her innocence being in this manner publicly proved, everybody

from the mouth of an urchin. The scene the south end near the Strand to the wall result of the Taotai interference is patent. after a month's illness. The works re- A long time ago, so the story runs, there was a play-field attached to a most respect- at the north end, and as soon as the mate-But few birds are to be seen in either of quired at Shanghai are, however, being lived a king who had a daughter, and her able academical establishment. Boys were rials were disposed of, the process of demothe old Game stalls, those that are being pushed on by the Harbour Master, and a name was Sunshine. Whoseever dared to busy cricketing, and engaged in other lition and removal commenced. In the small, while to crown their smallness they very serviceable steamer has lately been look at Sunshine had his eyes pierced on sports. Espying one solitary little fellow course of two or three days all that portion are highly prized, and are fully cent per purchased by the Inspector General for the spot. Any man who approached her stretched out on the grass in listless aband of Clement's inn will be gone. The mathe purpose of attending to the Coast and apartments had both his legs broken : so in- donment of all control over his limbs, magers of the Clare Market Ragged Schools Harbour requirements in this neighbour- exorably severe was Sunshine's father, the Find the weather too warm for exer- -an institution which has effected immense king. One day the princess said to her tion?" I remarked. "No," he said; "but good in the weighbourhood-have secured time seems so much longer." I have not the middle of the market.

THE HONGKONG DRAGON FEAST

The following is from the Octobernumber of Notes and Queries on China and Japan :-The Hongkong Dragon Feast is so called on the lucus a non lucendo principle on which foreigners seem to delight to name everything thinese, because in the Chinese names for it there is no vestige of 'Dragon-Feast' whatever. I presume the accident of a dragon being displayed in the streets has given the name, though if there were a Dragon Feast at all in China it would be the Dragon boat festival on the fifth day of the fifth moon, most melodious in Canton, but hardly seen or known in Hongkong, although a small Dragon-boat affair does come off here on the appointed day. The true name of the Festival however is ü-làn, the name, I believe, of some Tauist Saint who desended into Tartarus with an iron rod (&c., &c. ad libitum) and brought up his mother from thence. At this time therefore alt the hungry ghosts of one's ancestors are set free to wander about the universe, which necessitates the ceremony of "Burning of Clothes," whereby by burning clothes, food, money, &c., duly represented in or on paper, these necessaries are transferred to the spirit world. And Chinese popular theology has this advantage over what foreigners endure, in that the future state, instead of being held up as one of fearful suffering, is rather of a mildly uncomfortable and forlorn condition, not wholly without its solaces.

The 'wildn,' or 'man-yan-un' lowever, would seem to consist of a display of all the costly and rare articles that can be got together, with gratuitous plays for the delectation of 'hoi polloi,' which treat however was not enjoyed in Hongkong this year. A ourious feature of this institution be a kind of treat provided for the unwashed by the respectable shopkeepers, and the former are as hypercritical and exigeant as ever the gods at a transpontine theatre. Discontent is often manifested by grumbling if the show be not up to what the manyheaded consider correct, and, though I do not say such a thing ever happened, I could almost imagine that the directors of the festivities would be mobbed if their shortcomings became serious enough. The barning of clothes commences with the seventh month, and culminates into the ü-lan on the fourteenth of that month, when by the admirable arrangement of the Chinese Calendar, it is always full moon, and the crowds of gazers can wanderall night to their hearts

In Canton, owing to the narrowness of the streets apparently, the procession does not take place. (1 Did it originate in Hongkong in a desire—a most missionary desire to give the benighted foreigner also a glimpse of the really true and beautiful.) But illuminations of the streets, and displays of chandeliers and works of art. chiefly consisting of groups of puppets. moved by rats concealed within the framework that surrounds them, and such like delights of the eye are exhibited. In villages, though the festival is observed of course, the matshed and its ornaments are only added once every ten years or so, simply because there is not wealth enough in the village to support so great a yearly outlay. I believe the Hongkong Exhibition costs something like \$30,000. In the villages therefore the public money is collected from year to year by the elders and appropriated to this purpose when there is enough. It is a sad waste of money certainly, but what is it compared to a London 'banquet' either as to expense or folly?

The 'ten thousand additional lamps' with which the exhibition is lit up, are all taken to pieces the next day after with incredible rapidity, and packed away in the boxes with which the floor of the place may he observed to be littered. These lamps are itinerant objects of vertu and so are the curious trees and rare plants which are let

My own question was as to the appropriateness of the term "All-souls-festival." It dawned upon me almost immediately after sending it to press that on the theory of the ghosts, and their great réunion at this time, the name is fitting enough, and not nearly so much of a "Gutzlaffism" (to borrow a coined word) as I had been dis-

posed to suspect. Finally, it is to be regretted that foreigners, especially in Hongkong, are so thinskinned as they are in regard to Chinese festivities. Crackers, gongs and the Chinese fiddle are not melodious to foreign ears I grant, but a little patience and forbearauce, and a hearty laugh, smooth all such petty annovances away. People do exist in the Consular Ports, where these things go on much more freely than they do here. And I wonder are Chinese nover kept awake by the vile music of a band (clarionet halfalcopy, half-drunk, and wholly out of tune) and the proposterous practice of dancing till four in the morning. We must live and let live, and not write a spiteful snarl to the papers directly somebody treads on our individual corn, remembering that corns are many in this world and we too may have trodden on some at one time or other. Directly a cracker goes off, or a small "ta-tsiu" is held near a foreigner's house, he begins to behowl himself in print, or sallies out with his horsewhip, forgetting the time when he himself made night hideous with the than he, upon her advice, slips, and they strains of "We won't go home till morn-

This is a mistake on the part of the learned contributor. No such disturbances are allowed in the foreign Settlements or concessions, though noises are occasionally wafted through the midnight air from contiguous native buildings

THE demolition of Clement's-Inn-at one time an inn of court, but now a place of little or no mark, and inhabited by all sorts of people, mostly small attorneys and agents of different classes-commenced this morning, another sacrifice to the new law courts, ich it is possible may not after all be built on what is called "the Carey-street site." and which is being so industriously cleared. Mr Glasier, instructed by her Mejesty's Commissioners of Works, attended the unn this morning, and sold by public ONE the most calmly philosophical auction all that portion of it which extends speeches I ever heard, I heard the other day from the porter's lodge just under the gate at when I bore myself doing nothing, play- an excellent building in Denzell street, in

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with have field days.

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By order of the Court of Directors. VICTOR KRESSER Chief Manager. Hongkong, August 13, 1868.

PORT OF AMOY.

NOTICE TO MARINERS. THE BUOYS marking the Dangers in the Harbour of Amoy have been painted according to the Rule in use by the British Admiratty and Trinity Board, viz. ! to mark the starboard side of Channels entering Black or Red Buoys only. The Port side of Channels entering by Black or Red Buoys Chequered or vertically striped with White, and Middle Grounds by horizontally striped Buoys.

KELLET SPIT .- North end formerly marked by a striped Buoy, is now marked by a Red Buoy.

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bour, and Brown's Rock are marked by horizontally striped Buoys. In case any of these Buoys are lost or moved, the position will as soon as possible be marked by a Flag boat or floating

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transmitted via the United Kingdom will as occasion may require. 19.—Should it appear that Money Orders are used by mercantile men, or others, Via Southampton. either in the United Kingdom or at Hong - - - 12 cents. kong, Shanghai or Yokohama, for the Above 4 ounce and not extransmission of large sums of money, the ceeding 8 ounce, - - - 24 ,, British or Colonial Post Office, as the case Above 8 ounce and not exmay be, will consider the propriety of inceeding 12 ounce, - - - 36 creasing the Commission, and will exercise Above 12 ounce and not exceeding 16 ounces.- - 48 the power of wholly suspending for a time For every additional 4 oz., 12 ,, the issue of Money Orders.

By Command, F. W. MITCHELL,  $Postmaster\ General.$ General Post Office, Hongkong, 22nd August, 1868.

ing of the system generally will be made

Docks.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK

COMPANY, LIMITED. CHAREHOLDERS are requested to take notice that the seventh call of Fifty Dollars on the new Stock of the above named Company is due on the 1st December next and will be payable at the office of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking forward Money Orders will be issued at | Corporation, where receipts for the paythis Office and at the Agencies thereof at | ment thereof will be granted by the Ma-

Order Offices in the United Kingdom of Interest at the rate of Twelve per centum per annum will be changed after the above exceeding £10, at the rate of Exchange date.

Current for Each Mail, and charged with By order of the Board of Directors, GEURGE N. MINTO. Secretary.

> Hongkong, September 2, 1868. THE UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONGKONG & WHAMPOA, LIMITED

HE Company respectfully call the attention of Ship Owners, Consignees and Masters of Vessels, to their Establishment at Hongkong and Whampoa, for the DUCKING and REPAIRING of Vessels of all classes.

At Hongkong the Company have the only Dock in the harbour,-a Granite Dock, solidly built, and of dimensions to admit Ships of 350 feet in length, and drawing 22 feet of water. Attached to it there are Shipwrights.

Blacksmiths, Boiler makers and Machinery works, and everything necessary for the Repairs of Sailing Vessels or Steamers. The Company have also opened a Shipyard by the side of the Hongkong Dock, and are ready to contract for the construction of Steamers or Sailing Vessels of any

At Whampoa the Company have four Docks, in which they will take Ships at The Steam Tug "LITTLE ORPHAN" can be engaged to tow Vessels to sea, or berth them, at reasonable rates.

For particulars, apply to JOHN INGLIS Acting Secretary. A. D. MITCHELL

Company's Office, H. kong Hotel Building, Hongkong, October 10, 1868 FOOCHOW GRANITE FLOORED

HE above Dock has been in full working. order for the last four years. Length 300 feet, width at bottom 40 feet, depth of water on the sill, springs, average 17 feet, neaps 14 feet. The Dock in ordinary Tides runs dry to the Blocks and is pumped out

For further particulars as to the price of coppering, &c., &c., &c., apply to T. D. TILLINGHAST, Esq., Messes De Sil 9.—Should the Payee of a Money Order | ver & Co., Hongkong; Messrs Boyd & Co., desire to receive payment in the Country in | Shanghai; or to the Undersigned. which the Order was issued, at some other In connection with the above is the powerful Twin Screw Tug " WOOSUNG." Vessels requiring the services of this Tug

provided the Order be inclosed to the either from Matsou (where a splendid an- Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c. Postmaster of the Office in which it was chorage will be found during the S. W. drawn. In such case a new Order will be monsoon) or from the White Dogs, can obthe Commission chargeable upon tain them at moderate rates, on application which will be deducted from the amount of to

JOHN C. SKEY, Manager.

Pagoda Anchorage, River Min.

Insurances JCEAN MARINE INSURANCE

Incorporated 1859.

COMPANY.

London.

CAPITAL, -£1,000,000. TIME Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company are prepared to accept Marine risks and issue Policies at current rates. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co Hongkong, June 6, 1867.

ALBERT LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY. ESTABLISHED 1838. CAPITAL, £500,000. Managing Agents in China, - Mosses. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., Hongkong. Medical Referee; - J. Ivon MURRAY,

THE Undersigned having been appointed Managing Agents for the above Company are prepared to accept risks and issue Policies on Life Assurances. For further particulars, forms of propo sals, &c., apply to

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Managing Agents in China. Hongkong, June, 1867.

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE. COMPANY. (FIRE AND LIFE.)

CAPITAL, -Two MILLIONS STERLING. HHE Undersigned are prepared to grant 15.—If an Order be not paid before the Policies against the Risk of FIRE on end of the Twelfth Calendar Month after Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on that in which it was drawn, -- for instance, | Coals in Matsheds, on Goods on board if drawn in January and not paid before | Vessels and on Hulls of Vessels in Harthe end of the following January-all claim | bour, at the usual Terms and Conditions. Proposals for Life Assurances will be reunder peculiar circumstances, the Post ceived, and transmitted to the Directors Office of the Country in which the Order for their decision.

If required, protection will be granted on 16.—After once paying a Money Order first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single by whomsoever presented, the paying Office | Life. For Rates of Premiums, forms of proposals or any other information apply to.

ARNHOLD KARBERG & Co. Agents Hongkong & Canton. Hongkong, Jenuary 4, 1867.

Insurances.

THE CHINA MAIL.

ONDON AND PROVINCIAL MARINI INSURANCE COMPANY. PHE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above

Company, are prepared to grant Marine Risks at current rates. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Hongkong, March 6, 1868.

JAVA SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents at Hongkong and Canton for the above Company are prepared to grant Policies against Sea Risks at current rates. ARNHOLD KARBERG & Co.

Hongkong, July 27, 1868. 27jan-69 LANCASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

NOTICE ROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged on short period Insurances, viz:---

Not exceeding } f of the Annual Rate. one month.. Above 1: month and not exceeding three шоиth**s**, ..... Above 3 m'ths and not ex-

ceeding six mouths, .... Above 6 m'the, The full Annual Rate. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Agents, Lancashire Insurance Company. Hongkong, April 14, 1868.

PHENIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Company at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$40,000 on Buildings, or on Goods Stored therein.

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, September 28, 1868. NORTH CHINA INSURANCE Co. HE Undersigned, having been appointed AGENTS for the above Company at the Ports of Tamsus and Kellung, are pre-

ANCE at current rates. DODD & Co. Tamsui, 10th August, 1868.

pared to Grant Policies of MARINE INSUR-

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$80,000 on Buildings,

or on Goods stored therein. GIBB. LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, August 24, 1864.

NOTICE.

IMPERIAL FIRE OFFICE ROM and after this date the followin Rates will be charged for Short Perio

Not exceeding 1 month, 1 of the annual rat Above 1 mouth and not exceeding 3, ... Above 3 months and not exceeding 6,... }

Above 6 months,..... the full annual rate GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Company. . Hongkong, April 7, 1868. IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY. REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUN NTIL further notice the following Anunual Rates will be charged for Fire Insurance, viz :---Detached and Semi-detached Dwelling Houses removed

from the Town, and their  $\frac{1}{2}$  per cent. Contents, . Other Dwelling Houses used strictly as such, and their Contents, and their Contents,

. 1 per cent. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance

Hongkong, March 6, 1865. BOMBAY INSURANCE COMPANY FORBES & CO.'S CONSTITUENTS | ever required to do so. INSURANCE COMPANY.

TYPE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Companies are prepared to accept Risks on the usual terms. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, February 26, 1868.

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY. REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM. Detached and semi-detached Dwelling-Houses removed from Town, and their Con-. g per cent.

Other Dwelling-Houses used strictly as such, and their Contents. Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c. and their Contents,

GILMAN & Co., Agents North British and Mercantile Insurance Company. Hongkong, March 9, 1866.

NOTICE.

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY. TROM and after this date the following P Rates will be charged in Short Period Insurance, viz:-Not exceeding one } of the annual rate.

Above 1 month, and ) not exceeding  $3 > \frac{1}{2}$ months, Above 3 months, and not exceeding 6 } 2 months. Above 6 months, . . the full Annual rate.

GILMAN & Co., Agents, North British and Mercantile Insurance Company. Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

THE LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORATION. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Corporation are prepared to grant Fire and Marine Insurance on the usual Terms. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, December 26, 1867.

insurances.

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

Incorporated by Royal Charter and Special Acts of Parliament.

ESTABLISHED 1809,

ACCUMULATED FUNDS £2,233,927. ANNUAL REVENUE £497,263.

CAPITAL £2,000,000

THE Undersigned AGENTS at Hongkong for the above Company are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, to the extent of £10,000 on any Building, or on Merchandise in the same. GILMAN & Co

Hongkong, June 21, 1864.

NOTICE. MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

THE following Rates will be charged in future for short period Insurances, V1Z :--Not exceeding I month, & per cent. Above 1 month and not

exceeding 3 months, 1 Above 3 months and not exceeding 6,..... 3 Above 6 months,..... the full annual rate. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

A qents. Hongkong, April 8, 1868.

LONDON ASSURANCE CORPO-THE following rates will in future be charged for Short Period Insurances: One month. . . . per cent.

Three months, ... Six months, HOLLIDAY, WÎSE & Co. Hongkong, April 7, 1868. THE NORTH-CHINA INSURANCE

COMPANY. (Established 1st January, 1863,) CAPITAL, TLS. 1,500,000, IN 1,500 SHARES. FOR TLS. 1,000 EACH. Paid up Capital, Taels 300,000,

or Taels 200 per Share. Provisional Committee. W. J. BRYANS, Esq., Chairman. (Mesers Turner & Co.) H. BELL, Esq.

(Messra W. R. Adamson & Co.) = A. Michie, Esq. (Messis Chapman, King & Co.) E. H. LAVERS, Esq. (Mesara Gilman & Co.)

F. PORTER, Esq. (Messra Gibb, Livingston & Co.) Directors of the Company, 1866-68. A T a General Meeting held on Tuesday. A the 12th day of May, 1868, the following Resolutions were passed; relative to the continuance of the Company for a further period of three years from the 1st January, 1869; and Notice is hereby given that applications for Shares in the annexe Form, will be received at the Offices of the

Company until 31st October, 1868. Applications for Shares from Persons no resident in Shanghai, must be accompanie by a Power of Attorney to their Agents to sign the Deed of Settlement on their behalf and generally to represent them in all matters connected with the Company. In accordance with the Resolution passed at the meeting of 18th November, 1867, a separate Office of the Company will be opened in London, on 1st January, 1869.

By order of the Court of Directors, JOHN S. MACKINTOSH,

Shanghai, May 15, 1868. Form of Application for Shares.

To the Provisional Committee of the North

CHINA INSURANCE COMPANY. GENTLEMEN, hereby request that you will allot Shares in the above Company, and agree to accept such Shares, or any less number you may allot to ; and agree to pay the first call of Tls. 200 per Share, and all subsequent calls, and to subscribe to the Deed of Settlement when-

Your obedient Servant

Resolutions referred to above. RES. I.—That a Company to be called the "North-China Insurance Company shall be formed for a further period of three years, from 1st January, 1869 to 31st Dec.,

Res. II.—That the Directors for the time being of the present Company be appointed to act as a Provisional Committee to organize the new Company. RES. III. -That this meeting recommends

that the Provisional Committee should adopt as the basis of the new Company that the capital should be 1,500,000 in 1,500 per cent. | Shares of Tls. 1,000 each; Paid up Capital, per annum. | Tls. 300,000 or Tls. 200 per Share, and that the Committee be authorized to issue a prospectus inviting applications for Shares and to proceed with the allotment.

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

NOTICE. Insurances, viz:---Not exceeding ) d of the Annual Rate.

Above 1 mouth and not exceeding three months, ..... Above 3 m'ths and not ex-( ceeding six (4 "" "" months. Above 6 m'ths, The full Annual Rate.

General Managers, Hongkong Fire Insurance Company. Hongkong, April 7, 1868. THE QUEEN INSURANCE

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

COMPANY. CAPITAL, -Two Million STERLING. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company at this port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire, to the extent of £10,000, on Buildings or on Goods stored therein. MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co. Hongkong, May 20, 1868.

insurances.

ALLIANCE FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

NOTICE. ROM and after this date the following rates will be charged for Short Period Insurances, viz.— Not exceeding of the Annual Rate. one month,

Above 1 mouth and not exceeding three 2 2 ". months. Above 3 m'ths and not ex-

ceeding six (\* " months..... Above 6 m'ths, The full Annual Rate. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents, Alliance Fire Assurance Company. Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

NOTICE. THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY. THE following Rates will be charged in future for short period Insurances,

Not exceeding 1 month, & of the annual rate. Above 1 month and not exceeding 3 months, 1 do. Above 3 months and not exceeding 6,..... do.

Above 6 months,...... the full annual rate MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co., Agents the Queen Insurance Company Hongkong, May 20, 1868. MERCHANT'S MUTUAL

MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY. SAN FRANCISCO.

PAID UP CAPITAL, \$500,000. HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong and China for the above Company, are prepared to grant Policies at Current Rates. OLYPHANT & Co.

GUARDIAN ASSURANCE COMPANY

Hongkong, August 9 1867.

OF LUNDON. ESTABLISHED 1821.

CAPITAL £2,000,000. I'HEIUndersigned baving been appointed Agents of the above Company for Hongkong and Cauton are prepared to grant Policies at current rates.

OLYPHANT & Co. Hongkong, July 17, 1868. ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

FIRE AND LIFE.

CAPITAL, £2,000,000. (LIFE DEPARTMENT.) PerCent, per Aunum Bonus declared

during the last Fifteen Years on all Profit participating Policies of Two Years' standing. The utmost liberality practised in the settlement of all Claims, with the representatives of deceased Assurers.

An. Assurance for any sum not exceeding £1000 can be effected with the Undersigned without referring to Head-quarters. By special authority of the Board, Claims are settled at once by the Undersigned without reference to England.

No forfeiture of Policy from unintentional mis-statement Premiums payable Half-yearly or Annually at the option of the Assured. Aunual Premiums for an Assurance of £100 for the whole term of Life, including £2. 10s. per Cent. for Foreign Risk, which will be deducted during a visit to or a per-

mament resident in Europe :-

Age.	WITHOUT PARTICIPATION			WITH Participation		
L5	£3	19	8.	£4	5	6
20	4	3	8	4	9	4
25	4	· 8	. 2	4	.14	2
30	4	<b>13</b>	11	4	19	9
35	5	0	0	5	6	2
40	5	- 8	0.	- 5	14	1
45	5	17.	11	6	4	· 6
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60	8	16	. 0	9	8	7

For Forms, for effecting Life Assurances, and for any further information, apply to. ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents. Hongkong, September 3, 1864.

AMICABLE INSURANCE OFFICE. I HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above INSURANCE Risks, and issue Policies on any first class | torms. Sailing Vessels or Steamers, on the usual terms, payable in case of loss, in China, SINGAPORE, CALCUTTA, BOMBAY, or LONDON.

ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, June 17, 1864. REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM FOR

FIRE INSURANCE.

THE Undersigned have (as already intimated in their Circular dated 14th October last) received authority from the Se-FROM and after this date the following cretary of the ROYAL INSURANCE rates will be charged for Short Period | COMPANY to Reduce the rate of Premium under certain circumstances, on PRIVATE RESIDENCES and on FURNITURE and Er-FECTS, therein contained.

In cases of Dwelling-Houses removed from the Town, the rate of Premium will be Three-quarters per Cent. in place of One per Cent. per Annum as hitherto charged : and in cases of Residences, so situated, being detached or semi-detached, the rate will be further reduced to One-half per Cent. The Royal's Annual Rates for FIRE IN-SURANCE on the various classes of Buildings and their contents will therefore remain as follows, until further notice, viz. :-Detached and semi-detached.

Dwelling-Houses (removed from the Town) and their per cent. Contents. Other Dwelling-Houses (similarly situated) and their

Contents. First Class China House and their Contents, 13 per cent. Other Risks as per special arrangement. ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents Royal Insurance Company. Hongkong, November 9, 1866.

Insurances.

NOTICE. ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY. THE following Rates will be charged in future for short period Insurances,

Not exceeding One } per cent. Above One Month and not exceeding } } per cent. Three Months. Above Three Months and not exceeding å per cent. Six Months.

The full Annual Rate Above Six Months, ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents Royal Insurance Company. Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

LIFE ASSURANCE. THE Undersigned have received Authority by a recent Mail to issue Life Policies for amounts not exceeding £1000 without reference to the Head Office, as was previously required by the Board. ROB S. WALLER & Co.,

. Agents Royal Insurance Company. Hongkong, January 6, 1865.

NOTICE. HE Undersigned having received extend-ed limits from THE ROYAL INSUR-ANCE COMPANY, are now authorised to issue Policies against FIRE as follows, viz. On any one first-class Building, or on Goods stored therein - in Hongkong, \$60,000; in Macao \$45,000.

ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents Royal Insur. Company of Liverpool. Hongkong, June 17, 1864.

YANGTZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION OF SHANGHAL DIVIDEND of (8 per cent.) Eight per A cent. has been declared on the net Premia contributed to the above Associa-

tion for the Year ending 30th September, Policy holders will please send in particulars of their contribution to that date to

the Undersigned. RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, September 8, 1868. PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF

Company are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, on BUILDINGS and GOODS, at current rates. RUSSELL & Co.

SAN FRANCISCO

"I'HE Undersigned, Agents for the above

Hongkong, February 6, 1867. BATAVIA SEA & FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above named Company are prepared to grant Policies against SEA RISKS, at currentrates.

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, April 1, 1865. YANG-TSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIA-TION OF SHANGHAI, THE Undersigned having been appointed

Secretaries and Agents of this Association, are prepared to issue Policies upon Marine Risks at current rates of premium. Policies can be made payable in London, New York, Bombay, Calcutta, Singapore, Hongkong, Foochow and Shanghai. In addition to the usual brokerage this Association returns to the assured of each year at the close of each current year, Fees to Medical Referees paid by the fifteen (15) per cent of the profits of the Company for that year divided pro rata to the amount of premium paid by each po-

> RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, March 2, 1867. PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY

OF SAN FRANCISCO. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in China for the above Insur-ANCE COMPANY are prepared to grant Policy covering Marine Risks, at the current

EUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, July 6, 1866.

SAMARAN 3 SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAMARANG. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Macao for the above named

RAYNAL & Co. Macao, August 4, 1866. DE COSTERLING SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COM-

Company are prepared to grant Policies

covering Marine Risks at the current Rates.

PANY OF BATAVIA SAMARANG SEA AND FIRE INSUR-ANCE COMPA 'Y OF SAMARANG. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above named Companies are prepared to grant OFFICE, are prepared to accept Marine Policies against Sea Risks on the usual SIEMSSEN & Co.

Hongkong, August 1866.

and not exceeding

3 months, .....

Hongkong, April 13, 1868.

NORTHERN ASSURANCE COMPANY. DROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged for Short Perick Insurances:— Not exceeding one of the Annual rate. Above one month

and not exceeding 6 menths,.... Above 6 months.... the full annual rate. TURNER & Co.

PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY. INSURANCE OF PASSENGERS' BAGGAGE AND

FFFECTS. RRANGEMENTS have been made with A the Marine and General Mutual Life Assurance Society (Head Office, 14 Leadenhall Street, London) to afford facilities to Passengers by the Peninsular and Oriental Company, to insure their Baggage and

The Table of Rates is for the whole of per cent. the journey frem Hongkong to England, including transit through Egypt. Any further information may be obtained

> W. MACAULAY, Superintendent. Hongkong, October 10, 1868,

by CHARLES ABRAHAM at No. 2, Wyndham longkong

#### HARBOUR SHIPPING Chinese Advertisements. IN Miscellaneous. Miscellaneous. TO MEMBERS OF THE RIFLE THE ASSOCIATION. CHINESE COMMERCIAL HONGKONG. AN sale by Charles A. Saint. GUIDE. Ziming Brill Cards. BY S. WELLS WILLIAMS, LLD (COLORED.) Published at the "CHINA MAIL" Office, . . . . . 50 cents. PRICE Consignees of Vessels will greatly oblige by torwarding corrections of Hongkong, errors in the following list. 638 PP. DEMY 8VO. WITH APPENDIX. FIFTH EDITION, 1863. Kotes and Eneries: Price, \$5. Original Publishing Price, Ten Dollars. CHINA AND JAPAN. Exclusive of To-day's Arrivals, Lepartures, and Clearances. The following is an Abstract of the Con tents of this Book:-A MONTHLY MEDIUM OF INTER C. on Pedder's Wharf .- WC., from Pedder's Wharf to Gibb's Wharf .- W., Westward of Gibb's Wharf .- EC., on Pedder's снар. т.—sec. 1 то 4. COMMUNICATION Wharf to the Military Hospital. - E., Eastward of the Hospital. - K., on Kowloong side. 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